

Big Improvements Suggested Belle Glade Prison Farm

The State cabinet's committee on prisons Tuesday outlined a program designed to make the State Prison Farm at Belle Glade ultimately a separate institution supplying more of the food for inmates of State institutions.

Secretary of State R. A. Gray and Commissioner of Agriculture Nathan Mayo proposed erection of a hurricane proof building sufficient to house about 300 convicts, and development of the Everglades farm for greater production of rice, sugar cane products, ramie and for cattle feeding.

The cabinet authorized the committee to set prices for purchase of rice harvesting and milling machinery after Mayo said the institution produced 40,000 pounds of rice last year but had to harvest and thresh it by hand.

The board also tentatively agreed to plant another 320 acres of ramie on the prison grounds for the Florida Ramie Products Co., which Mayo and Gray said will have its processing plant in operation by Feb. 1.

Ramie now is grown on about 400 acres of the Belle Glade Farm for the company, which pays an annual rental of \$25 and acre plus \$2.50 a ton for ramie it harvests. Mayo estimated the State will net \$100 an acre a year from the plantings.

The cabinet also adopted a policy of sending cattle from other State institutions, particularly the main prison at Raiford, to be fattened for about three months on rich grass of the Everglades before being butchered for consumption in the institutions.

There is a \$65,000 appropriation for the Belle Glade prison building, but Mayo said "it won't be enough" for the kind of facilities needed in the future. The State Improvement Commission was asked to make a survey and present general plans for a building program.

FIRE DESTROYS QUARTERS

Fire caused from a defective oil stove caused destruction of 24 rooms at Frenchy Johnson's quarters in the Streamline section on Monday. There was no insurance.

Frock Baxter may make it home by Christmas if he has a lot of luck. He arrived in Bremen, Washington, on Tuesday of this week and immediately wired home folks to be on the look-out for him. His wire arrived Wednesday morning.

Speer Is Named Ass't County Agent

County Farm Labor Assistant H. L. Speer of Pahokee was named Assistant County Agricultural Agent at Monday's meeting of the board of county commissioners at a salary of \$3,600, with \$3,000 to be paid by the county and the \$600 to be paid by state and federal agencies.

Mr. Speer in his new position is assistant to County Agent M. U. "Red" Mounts and was recommended for the place by Mr. Mounts, who pointed out that the Pahokee man holds a master's degree from the College of Agriculture at the University of Florida. Mr. Mounts said that Mr. Speer had shown himself to be thoroughly competent to handle the job of assistant agricultural agent.

Mr. Speer's appointment by the board was unanimous when a motion made by Commissioner Paul Rardin came up for a vote. Mr. Speer will take up his new duties on January 1, 1946.

Another New Truck For County. Roads Is Secured By Rardin

Another new truck was added to the steadily growing county road department equipment in County Commissioner District No. 5, according to Paul Rardin who said the truck was put to work on Wednesday of this week. This makes a total of three new trucks Rardin has secured since the first of the year. Another new one has been ordered for this district, Rardin said, and will be forthcoming in a few days.

Death Comes To Mrs. Edna Partch

Mrs. Edna B. Partch, 60, a resident of Pahokee for many years, died at the local hospital on Saturday, Dec. 8, following a long illness. Funeral services were held at the Pahokee Methodist Church on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Members of the Pahokee Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, officiated at the services. They were assisted by Rev. T. A. Ferguson.

Survivors are the husband, George S. Partch; a son, Major O. B. Partch, U. S. Army, now stationed at San Antonio, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Edith Snapp, Urbana, Ill., Mrs. Estelle Huston, Chicago, and Mrs. Marcella Barningham, Rockford, Ill.; one brother, Ross Hamilton, Dunam, Ill.

Burial was at Jacksonville. Berry's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. "Heck" Larrimore will arrive in Pahokee the first of the week for a visit before Mr. Larrimore leaves for Washington on Jan. 21 to enter school and study radar. At present they are in Tallahassee where Mrs. Larrimore is employed in the State Motor Vehicle Department. She will return to her job in Tallahassee while he is in school.

Council Sets New Garbage Removal Rates For Jan. 1, '46

The Pahokee City Council at a regular meeting Tuesday night passed Ordinance 175 which sets new rates for garbage collection fees in certain classifications. The fee for collecting garbage at residence remains unchanged, \$1 per quarter of a year.

Fees for other places are as follows: Hotels, \$2.50 per quarter; apartment houses, \$1 per quarter for each apartment; trailer houses, \$1 per quarter; business houses, \$2.50 per quarter; rooming houses, \$1.50 per quarter for a minimum of eight rooms plus 25 cents extra for each quarter for room above the minimum. These rates go into effect the first of the year.

The Council also passed a motion specifying that in the future all applications for building permits must be accompanied by a blueprint of the proposed building and the blueprint or plan must be approved by the Council before the city clerk can issue a permit.

McClure Assesses Fines In City Court

The usual long list of traffic violators and drunks faced Mayor O. B. McClure in Pahokee city court Monday night as a result of the week-end drive by the police force. In the neighborhood of thirty cases were called by Clerk Walker and only a handful appeared to face the charges, others merely having their cash bonds estreated. All those who faced the mayor were convicted on testimony of the arresting officer.

COUNTY BUYS BONDS

County commissioners on Monday voted to buy \$4,000 in Victory Loan Bonds in each commission district, the money to be taken from the accumulating jail fund.

Dale Jordan Hurt By Gun Discharge

Dale Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan, former Pahokee residents now living in Avon Park, was seriously injured in the face last Friday by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. Dale and his companion, Donald Ford, had been hunting rabbits and were climbing into the car ready to return home when Ford's double-barreled shotgun fired accidentally, embedding shot in young Jordan's face. He is now receiving treatment by a plastic surgeon specialist in Philadelphia, Pa.

Funeral Services For F. E. Bryant

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Holy Trinity Church in Palm Beach for F. E. Bryant who died suddenly from a heart attack in his office at the Azucar plantation of the United States Sugar Corporation last Thursday afternoon. Rev. Martin J. Bram, rector of Holy Trinity, officiated at the services and burial was made in Hillcrest cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: M. W. Bigg, G. L. Sims, R. E. Conn, H. T. Vaughan, Ralph B. Wagner and W. P. Jernigan.

Honorary pallbearers were: Orrin Randolph, R. R. Healey, Louis A. Valier, Clarence R. Bitting, W. C. Prewitt, Jay Moran, R. Y. Patterson, Roscoe Stokes, N. V. S. Mumford, W. H. Lanier, Luke Fraser, H. A. Bestor, Dr. V. A. Bourne, W. C. Owen, O. A. Jones, W. E. Bolton, J. A. Rostan, Alexander Drake, Earl J. Reed, and S. L. Crochet.

RECRUITERS TO VISIT

The Recruiting team from West Palm Beach will visit Pahokee December 21 but will not return again until Jan. 10, 1946. The Recruiting office at 704 Comeau Bldg., West Palm Beach will remain open through the holidays.

Yuletide Program Is Enjoyed Monday Night Pahokee PTA

The annual Christmas program of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association was presented by Mrs. Dave W. Cunningham at the December meeting held Monday evening in the high school auditorium.

On the program Carl A. Moberg played a medley of carols on the piano; the audience sang two Christmas hymns, Robert O. Lampl sang two selections, "I Hear the Bells on Christmas Day" and "From Every Spire on Christmas Eve"; Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. Duncan Padgett and Mrs. Ralph Grimes as a vocal trio sang "Silent Night," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. C. Graham; Mrs. Dot Baker, Mrs. Cecil Tate and Mrs. Ralph Grimes as a vocal trio sang "White Christmas," accompanied at the piano by Rev. C. A. Moberg; Mrs. D. D. Caudill sang "The Cradle Hymn," accompanied by Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Cunningham gave a reading, "Keeping Christmas."

At the business session, with President Moberg presiding, the group, acting upon recommendations by the executive board, voted to raise the salaries of school cafeteria employees, effective Jan. 1. Miss Barbara McNamara was appointed chairman of the PTA publications committee.

The monthly attendance awards were won by the eleventh grade at the high school, Mrs. Phara Mock and Robert O. Lampl, sponsors, and by Mrs. Catherine Cunningham's fourth grade at the elementary school.

Santa Claus was on hand to greet PTA members during the social hour at the school cafeteria. The tables were attractively decorated with red candles, red berries and other Christmas decorations. Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. R. L. Chastain, Mrs. Wiley Tillis and Mrs. L. J. Fraser served the refreshments.

Juniors & Seniors Sell \$10,500 In Bonds

Juniors and Seniors in Pahokee high school got busy during the past two weeks and sold \$10,500 in Victory Bonds, according to an announcement yesterday by D. Caudill, principal. Students in Pahokee schools are always on their toes in any drive for the betterment of the community or nation. Their sale of war bonds is only another of the many activities they participate in during the school year.

County Repairs Osceola Camp Road

The cut-off road from the Belle Glade airport to the ice plant is being used this season for a detour while the main road from the bridge to the packing houses is being rebuilt. The road is known as Osceola camp road and is a county road and maintained by county forces.

Due to the heavy traffic over this short piece of road, County Commissioner Paul Rardin decided that the shoulders should be widened in order to make the road more serviceable during the season. This week several hundred yards of rock were hauled in by the county road department and worked into the shoulders. The rock was furnished by the City of Belle Glade at the city rock pit, with the county forces doing the hauling and grading work.

ITEMS OMITTED

Due to a lack of space several items are being omitted this week. They will be printed next week.

Pahokee Blue Devils Outplay Golden Rams of Belle Glade In Thriller 12-6

The Fourth Annual Everglades Foot Ball Classic played in Belle Glade last Friday night between the Golden Rams of Belle Glade high school and the Blue Devils of Pahokee high school wound up with the pre-game underdogs—the Blue Devils—on the long end of the 12 to 6 score. Two thousand rabid fans were on hand to cheer their favorite team.

Starting off with a bang in the first quarter the Blue Devils—hardly given an outside chance to beat the Belle Glade eleven—chalked up an early touchdown but failed on the extra point. The play was a beauty and was the result of a later that clicked perfectly. Connell was on the receiving end of the lateral from Geiger and caused consternation among the Belle Glade fans when he rushed to paydirt for the score.

Fans straightened in the stands. Could it be that the underdogs had a few tricks up their sleeves? It is no more than fair to say that Pahokee fans were as surprised and wide-eyed over the first touchdown as were the boosters of the Golden Rams. This writer could hardly believe his eyes when only a few minutes before the starting whistle he had been firmly convinced that Belle Glade would win by at least two touchdowns.

In the second quarter Belle Glade tied the score at six all when Harrell went over the line for the Rams' only marker. The

golden shirted boys failed in their attempt for extra point and a sigh of relief came from the Pahokee rooting section.

In the final minutes of play in the second quarter, after a series of plunges followed by a short pass, Thomas Dickson plunged over for another touchdown. The trial for extra point went wide and the score at the close of the half was 12 to 6 in favor of Pahokee.

Throughout the second half the teams battled for more points but neither was successful in chalking up any. In the final minutes of play the Golden Rams threw caution to the winds and started a passing attack which failed to gain the much needed touchdown. Blue Devils were where they should be when the passes were thrown, and consequently the Rams gained nothing by the air attack.

Considering the fact that the starting team for Belle Glade outweighed the starting team of Blue Devils 18 pounds to the man, the lighter squad proved its mettle in no uncertain manner. Geiger weighing 121 pounds, Gillis weighing 126 pounds with Rodney Connell tipping the beam to 118 pounds, will give you an idea of some of the "heavy weights" on the Blue Devil team.

Dedication of the Belle Glade field between halves held attention of the spectators. The dedication was under the direction of the

American Legion Post of Belle Glade. Lee Fuckett, Belle Glade Lion, made the presentation speech after the game when the "Bill Young Memorial Trophy" the Lions Cup, was received on behalf of the Blue Devils by Sponsors Betty Wetherington and Barbara Brown.

To sum up the annual battle between the two Glades teams is easy. Last Friday night the best foot ball team of the two won. Pahokee outplayed the Golden Rams in every department of the game.

Pahokee	Pos	Belle Glade
Latham	LE	McClathey
Giddens	LT	Lloyd
Spooner	LG	Pike
Hatfield	C	McDonald
Ogle	RG	Bass
Salvatore	RT	Matthews
Smith	RE	Wedgworth
Geiger	QB	Harrell
Connell	LH	Cherry
Fremd	RH	Bearden
Dickson	FB	Cromatire

Pahokee 6 0 0-12
Belle Glade 6 0 0-6

Officials—Jack Coleman, referee; Ray Brown, umpire; Randolph Pinder, field judge, and Ted Oughterson, head linesman.

Very few penalties were called in the game. The officials' work was highly lauded by fans on both sides. The four men who handled the game, came from the east coast and knew none of the players on either team.

Shaughnessy's Bear Story Tops Hobby Talks At Rotary Club

Members of the Pahokee Rotary club were enjoying a splendid program—at least the members were sticking somewhere within gunshot of the truth—as the fellows told about their hobbies. Then it came Frank Shaughnessy's turn. Harold Rosenberg, as program director for the day, had everything under control and had called on several of the fellows who good naturedly and truthfully told of

their hobbies thru the years. But, the program was brought to an abrupt close when Shaughnessy finished with his bear story. It was the bear story of all bear stories. It capped the climax and brought Harold's program to a sudden end.

The irony of the thing was that several visitors were present. Many of them were farmers—fellows who have been doing business with Shaughnessy through the years. What are they going to think of his veracity in future years?

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Constructive Toys Make Better Gifts

When you buy toys for children, give a thought to their constructive qualities. How much can they do with the gifts you are providing them? Will they soon tire of them and go back to the good old spoons and pans in the cupboard that they can do so many things with? If you buy a doll, get one that can be dressed, bathed and brushed. If a boy wants a doll, let him have it. Fathers love children.

Growing children need big toys that require lifting, tugging, running—movement of muscles. Blocks are ideal. Think of the things that can be done with them. One carpenter out of work made quite a good thing last Christmas of children's blocks. He collected odds and ends of boards at the lumber yard, planed them off smoothly, painted them gay colors and sold them in lots of a dozen up to 100. Wagons, cars, scooters, skates, sleds, and skis are good. But the toy should suit the age of the recipient. Every boy should have a ball of some kind. Boys like trains, but wooden blocks painted to resemble cars are better than the kinds that can run only on tracks. Girls are pleased with rolling pins, doll beds, houses, trunks, small chairs and tables, and dishes. One mother writes that her son's most cherished gift last Christmas was five pounds of assorted nails given him by an understanding uncle.

For older folks, books and Christmas just seem to go together as naturally as bread and jam, or



Educational toys are popular.

ham and eggs. A home-made book may make a hit. It may consist of leaves of brightly colored cambric, ten colors in all, sewed securely through the middle to hold them together, and with pinked edges.

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BETZNER'S STORE In Belle Glade

Watson Claims Victory Over Union

TALLAHASSEE — Attorney General Tom Watson claimed "a decided victory" last Saturday for the Florida labor union regulations law on the basis of a modified mandate of the state supreme court.

On Watson's petition, the court left standing a 1944 order restraining Leo H. Hill from acting as a paid union business agent without obtaining a state license, with the exception that he could not be required to obtain a license for his "possible activities" in collective bargaining under the National Labor Relations act.

Earlier, on the basis of a United States Supreme Court decision, the court had handed down a mandate which in effect completely overthrew the Florida statute providing for licensing of paid labor union business agents.

Saturday's supreme court decision did not disturb complete

application of the federal court ruling that another Florida law provision requiring unions to record names of their officers and locations of headquarters with a state agency is invalid.

Veterans Bureau Members To Meet

JACKSONVILLE — The first Jacksonville session of the State Veterans Commission, appointed by Gov. Millard F. Caldwell as authorized at the last session of the Legislature, will open at 9 a. m. Thursday in the Seminole Hotel, George L. Killam, commission member from the Second Congressional District, announced.

In addition to the seven commission members, David L. Wiley, executive secretary and State Service officer will attend. The commission was organized in Tallahassee and has since met in Silver Springs and St. Petersburg. Ray V. Judson of Bartow is chairman of the commission.

BUYS WAR BONDS

Palm Beach County quota in the Victory Loan Drive is nearer fulfillment today due to the subscription of \$35,000.00 by Standard Oil Company. M. I. Keen, the Company's Agent at Canal Point, entered the subscription for Standard Oil, and received expressions of appreciation from the Committee.

How about a mattress for your cow?—The research laboratories of B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company announced recently the development of a mangle mattress that will insure tired bovines restful sleep and pay for itself many times over in increased milk production.

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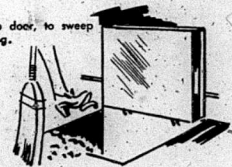
A revolving counter-top, to swing dishes from kitchen to dining room.

You'll like a large mixer in your kitchen.

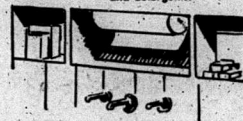


Troys for pots and pans, that slide out like drawers.

A foot-lever trap door, to sweep floor dirt into bag.



A three way cupboard - recessed over sink for paper towels, soaps and detergents.



Phillip Dulany Has Birthday Party

Mrs. John Allen Dulany entertained at the Pahokee Woman's Club Saturday afternoon with a party for her son, Phillip Allen, in celebration of his eighth birthday anniversary.

In carrying out the Christmas motif, the party decorations included a lighted, decorated Christmas tree, the Nativity scene, red and green candles and bouquets of poinsettias. As a party favor each guest was presented with a toy stocking filled with nuts and candies. For refreshments the hostess served cakes with green icing and topped with red candles and ice cream topped with miniature Santa Clauses, also ginger-bread men and grapes.

Mrs. Dulany was assisted in the entertaining by Mrs. Duncan Padgett, Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. Ralph Grimes, Joy Padgett, Barbara Wroten and Mrs. W. H. Kemp. The playing of games was under the direction of Mrs. Kemp who also told Christmas stories to the children.

Invited guests were Allan Seegre, Max and Don Beverly, Sammy McKinstry, Phoebe Ann Ramey, Amelia Brown, Buddy Moberg, Sandra Lampi, Jeannene and Rupert Mock, Jr., Calvin Padgett,

Judy Starling, Jimmy Coleman, Ronnie and Wayne Elliott, Marlene, Brenda and Brian Johnson, Donald Waddell, Fay Mackey, Wendell Cardin, Robert and Janet Mosely, Joyce Lynn Hurt, Earl Douglas Meredith, Kathleen Wilson, David and Judith Cunningham, Carmen Salvatore III, Pat Elliott, Judith Chandler, Rose Marie Henderson, Tommy Chastain, Rosa Mabel and Martha Ann Waring, Jon Pope, Alfred Kahn, Rebecca Grimes, Harry Brooks Elarbee, Thurman Kemp, Carol Carpenter and Donna Lynn May.

Also Ann Rita Burns, Susan Johnson, Don Acres, Jimmy Colson, Tommy Elliott, Annette and Kenny McIntosh, Bobbie and George Ferguson, Jr., Carol Hickerson, Lovda Williams, Roger Jaudon, Gay and Jimmy Schoepel, Kay Friend, Kline Faulk, Katherine Johnson, Sylvia Jones, Emma Jean McAfee, Mrs. Cleo Douthit, Mrs. C. A. Shive, Milton Carpenter, Miss Lucille Salvatore and John Dulany.

Mothers attending were Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. E. B. Johnson, Mrs. Roy Seegre, Mrs. Carmen Salvatore, Jr., Mrs. R. Sam Mosley, Mrs. Fred Hickerson, Mrs. W. H. Kemp and Mrs. W. H. May.

Eighty-four per cent of the U. S. population lived in electrically lighted houses in 1940.

Each Swiss Canton Has Own Traditions

Winter beauty and winter sports reach the acme of perfection in Switzerland by Christmas time. For many of the natives, however, this glad season signifies in addition a period full of sacred mystery and the anniversary of days particularly specified in ancient legends.

However, the ruddy-cheeked St. Nicholas has in some parts of the country been supplanted by the Christkindli, or Christ child. This lovely angel is said to have come from the Far North and it always brings to each home it visits a Christmas tree decorated with all the glittering things associated with fairyland and heavily laden with gifts.

Forecasting with Onions.

If you want, for instance, to find out how the weather will be during the next year, cut, on Christmas Eve, an onion into half; peel off 12 layers, one for each month, and fill the same with salt. Those peellings which contain damp salt the next morning predict rainy weather for the respective month.

Young people who are anxious to learn something about their matrimonial prospects are advised to drink three times from nine different fountains, when the church bells are ringing on Christmas Eve and they will then behold their future mate standing at the church door.



"Zucher Tirgel," a kind of Christmas cookie that have been made in Switzerland many centuries, are an essential feature of the holidays, particularly in the neighborhood of Zurich. Wooden molds dating back to the 17th and 18th centuries are still used. The so-called "Tirgel sentences" are very popular, which depict an entire series of some story. The one in the picture reads, "So lists gut Relsen" or "Sleigh riding is fine."

If you are courageous enough to consult the oracle as to the length of time which is still allotted to you on earth, take your Bible on Christmas Eve and the first psalm which strikes your eye contains in stanzas the number of years which you are yet given to live.

Mistletoe May Mean Messenger of God

Some say that the word mistletoe comes from the missel thrush, a messenger of the gods who brought the plant to the earth. Actually, the bird is very fond of the berries and is responsible for the wide distribution. Growing as it does, on trees as a parasite, it is showy because of its huge mass of dense light green foliage.

Its Latin name, Phoradendron, means tree-thief.

In Virgil, mistletoe was the golden bough, by the plucking of which Aeneas was enabled to descend into the underworld and return safely.

In ancient Britain it was the sacred plant of the Druids. The chief nature festival of these forest worshippers was around the oak tree with the most mistletoe on it. The Arch-Druid ascended the tree to the lowest bough on which the sacred mistletoe was growing. With a golden sickle he cropped the branch and allowed it to fall in a fold of his ample robes. The plant was so sacred that it must never touch the earth. The priest then broke the bough into many pieces and gave a twig to each of his followers—with a prayer.

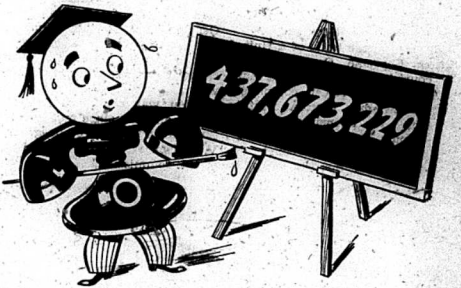
In the language of the flowers, mistletoe means "give me a kiss." This has its basis from a Scandinavian myth.

Carols Replace Heathen Songs
Carols, it is said, were early introduced by the clergy into England from Italy, probably soon after the Norman conquest, as a substitute for the Yule and Wassail songs of the heathen origin, which, until then had been in use among the vulgar. Christmas carols were in dance measure at first. The word carol comes from "corolla," a ring, because the song was for a ring dance.

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Take A Victory Bond—It's Free

(By Bruce Barton)

I have heard people sigh at word of the Victory Loan Campaign, and say, "I suppose I have to buy another bond. But I don't see how I can afford it."

This is just like saying, "I suppose I really ought to start saving money, but it's an awfully expensive thing to do!"

The fact is, of course, that you don't buy bonds. As W. B. Bachman, a Detroit writer, forcefully pointed out the other day, the speakers on the radio and the poster artists and the advertising writers have been using the wrong word for four long years. They have been asking the public to do something that is impossible. You can't spend money on bonds. You simply take them. They cost you nothing. My E bonds are nothing but certificates showing that the Barton family has made a deposit in the U. S. Treasury instead of in a bank or a cookie jar. When we take an E bond, we transfer a bank deposit to the safest depository in the world—the U. S. Treasury. We put in non-interest notes and we get an interest-bearing note as our deposit slip!

To take a bond—note that word "take"—is still a patriotic act. That alone is inducement enough for any American. Just as your money in the bank pays for loans and investments and all the bank's manifold activities, so your money in the U. S. Treasury helps to care for the wounded, to end war contracts, to maintain armies of occupation, to bring home returning fighters, to prevent inflation. Your bonds brought about the mighty atomic blasts that put a period to this war. Your bonds today are returning flesh to the bones of those who survived wounds or prison-camp torture—of Wainwright, of Boyington, of unknown thousands of our men who played their own gallant parts in the total defeat of our enemies.

I remember reading the typical experience of George Lott, whose two arms were shredded by a mortar on the Lorraine front. From his battalion aid station Lott was transported 4500 miles in easy stages, by ambulance, train and plane. He passed through three field dressing stations and five hospitals in France and England before being returned to the United States for final treatment and recovery. Your bonds paid for the care of all the George Lotts of this war.

And yet you can count on getting back \$4 for every \$3 you put in!

So get bonds today—get them regularly—and hold onto them. That is about as close as you are likely to come in this life to having your cake and eating it too.

Biggest Holiday Rush on Long Distance

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CANAL POINT, FLORIDA

Won't You Help The Kiddies In Daddy Fagg's Fla. Home?

With five big families of orphan, homeless, helpless and needy children to provide Christmas toys, dolls, goodies, wearables and Christmas dinners for the Children's Home Society of Florida, generally regarded as "Florida's Greatest Charity" is asking for hundreds of good-hearted men, women and children to act as Santa Claus for these little ones, many of whom have never known a real Christmas, all of whom will be sadly grieved and disappointed should they be overlooked on Christmas morn.

Anything that can be given in money, foodstuffs, turkeys, chickens, canned goods, toys, dolls, goodies, or children's wearables of every kind and size will be warmly welcomed and should be sent to The Children's Home Society of Florida, 493 Consolidated Building, Jacksonville, or to any one of its five delightful Receiving Homes at Jacksonville, South Jacksonville, Miami, Lakeland or Pensacola.

The Home Society has had over 1,500 homeless and needy little ones referred to its care and study so far this year, and according to its long-time State Superintendent, Marcus C. "Daddy" Fagg, the Society is genuinely in need of funds, food, and wearables, its entire non-sectarian work being supported entirely by voluntary contributions, no moneys being received from either the State or Federal Government.

How about it? Will you act as Santa Claus for one or more of "Daddy" Fagg's little charges?

Some young men are so promising that they are willing to promise anything.

Prince Theatre

PAHOKEE, FLORIDA

WEEK OF DECEMBER 16th

Sunday-Monday

"IT'S A PLEASURE"

Sonja Henie, Michael O'Shea
(In gorgeous technicolor)

Tuesday-Wednesday

"Enter ARESNE LUPIN"

Ella Raines, George Korvin

— ALSO —

"CAPTAIN KID"

Charles Laughton, Randolph Scott

Thursday-Friday

"JOHN DILLINGER"

Elisha Cook Jr., Lawrence Tierney

— ALSO —

"BLONDE FROM BROOKLYN"

Robert Stanton, Lynn Merrick

Saturday

"SONG OF NEVADA"

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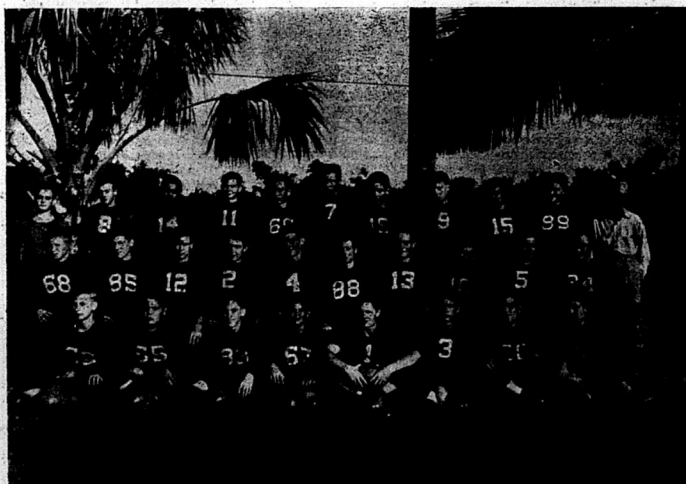
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THE CHAMPION FOOT BALL TEAM OF THE EVERGLADES

Pahokee High School

BLUE DEVILS

PAHOKEE'S RECORD THIS YEAR

Delray	0 Pahokee	33
Okeechobee	0 Pahokee	32
Cocoa	7 Pahokee	21
Moore Haven	0 Pahokee	33
Fort Pierce	39 Pahokee	0
Stuart	0 Pahokee	0
Dania	12 Pahokee	0
Lake Worth	14 Pahokee	7
Belle Glade	6 Pahokee	12



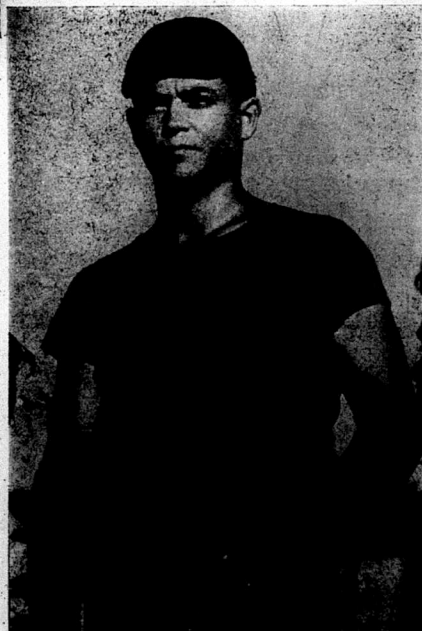
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Pahokee Baptists Plan Exercises For 1945 Year End

Capacity congregations, morning and night, greeted the pastor, Rev. C. A. Moberg, last Sunday, upon his return from Pensacola where he was engaged in revival services with the East Hill Baptist Church of some 2000 members. The pastor wishes it to be known that he appreciates the unselfish spirit on the part of the church in granting him this privilege of assisting the brethren, also it is a joy to come home to so fine a group of members as the return to good weather, it is hoped the drive for an average of 250 in Sunday School will this Sunday bring results, likewise 100 in Training Union. The Pahokee Baptist musical family of some 50, choir and orchestra, will present special programs, The Illuminated Cross Meditation Sing, a feature of the Sunday night service is receiving much favorable comment, and will be presented this week. Sermons in keeping with the Christmas season will be delivered by the pastor.

The annual Sunday School Christmas program of "tree and treat" will be conducted on Sunday night, Dec. 23, combined with the program of the church. The orchestra and choir will furnish the music, with special offerings by the quartets. Readings will be given by the boys and girls. The auditorium will be decorated and lighted accordingly.

Foot Ball Team Honored By Rotes

Members of the Blue Devil squad, their coaches and cheer leaders were guests of the Pahokee Rotary club at yesterday's regular weekly luncheon. V. C. Denton, veteran foot ball enthusiast, was in charge of the program which proved delightful to all present.

Coaches Alley and Brown were presented with cash purses which will in a great way ease their Christmas shopping problems. The presentations were made by Sam Chastain, who was on a committee to raise the money among foot ball enthusiasts in the Pahokee-Canal Point area. Following the gifts to the coaches another cash gift was forthcoming from the Athletic Council. Dennis Caudill made this presentation. The coaches received like amounts and it was distinctly understood that the money was NOT given in the form of additional salary, but, just straight out Christmas presents.

Home From The War

DREW FIELD, TAMPA—Presentation of his honorable discharge certificate at the Army Air Forces separation station at this field on Dec. 6, marked the completion of 46 months of service in the armed forces by Cpl. Roy Maxson. One of more than 26,000 men released from service with the AAF to date at this separation station, he served as a airplane mechanic.

Woman's Club Has Yuletide Program

Mrs. R. J. Schroder presented "The Christmas Story in Pantomime" with music at a meeting of the Pahokee Woman's Club in the clubhouse Tuesday night. The cast of players included Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, Mrs. Dick Parrish, Milton Carpenter, John T. Pickett, Jr., Frank Rozelle, Jr., Murray Weeks, Ray Hatton, George Belk, Jr., and Eddie Stanley. Christmas carols were sung by a vocal trio composed of Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. Duncan Padgett and Mrs. A. D. Beverly. Mrs. H. C. Graham was pianist.

Mrs. J. R. York spoke on "The Spirit of Christmas in American Homes." Program arrangements were under the direction of Mrs. J. R. York, chairman of American homes committee, and Mrs. B. Elliott, chairman of the Bible committee.

The Christmas motif was used in clubhouse decorations and beneath a decorated and lighted Christmas tree were placed gifts for the Veterans' Hospital in Lake City.

Hostesses were Mrs. Frank Rozelle, Mrs. R. F. Hurt, Mrs. Charles Kennen and Mrs. V. C. Denton who served refreshments of fruit cake.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Keen of Canal Point announce the arrival of a son, Richard Charles, at the Good Samaritan hospital on Monday, Dec. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Neilson of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter, Paula Darwin, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Craton of Belle Glade announce the birth of a daughter, Charlotte Arlene, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burns of Grand Ridge announce the birth of a son, Stanley Darwin, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Blission of Belle Glade announce the birth of a daughter, Cassandra Lou, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 11.

PAHOKEE HIGH SCHOOL'S HONOR ROLL

Second Six Weeks, 1945-1946

A in all subjects

Ninth Grade: Howell Waring.

Eighth Grade: Payne Jackson.

Seventh Grade: Janette Mathis.

John Waring.

HONOR ROLL

A or B in all subjects

Twelfth Grade: Lynn Walker.

Imogene Tillis, Betty Unwin.

Rudy Williams.

Eleventh Grade: Betty Sears.

Ann O'Connell, Howard Marshall.

Onalee Bennett, Connie Marshall.

Lois Morgan, Mary Ruth Wilson.

Ona Humphries.

Tenth Grade: Dickie Johnson.

Ninth Grade: Gloria Henderson.

Yvonne Fraser, Jack Major, Le-

land Shirley, Imogene Spivey.

Eighth Grade: Jerrold Berry.

William Roberts.

Seventh Grade: Patsy Maxson.

Annie Lee Hurt, Willard McCurdy.

Carol Snyder.

HONORABLE MENTION

Those making just one C, other subjects A or B.

Twelfth Grade: Nina Ruth Bar-

wick, Gene Herring, Louise Elar-

bee, Barbara Brown.

Eleventh Grade: Billy Rawls, J.

E. Spooner, Rodney Coniell, Bill

Elam.

Tenth Grade: Bobby Baker, Mar-

vin Baker, Helen Hooks, Joan Mc-

Larty, Sibyl Jensen, Joy Padgett.

Lois Echols.

Ninth Grade: Joyce Peacock.

Ona Math Altsman.

Eighth Grade: David Ramey,

Herbert McAfee, Jackie Sullivan,

Nadine Raulerson, Johnny Lowery,

Elizabeth Pope, Betty Jean Hicks,

Chara Baxter, Nannette Acree.

Seventh Grade: Sidney Caruth-

ers, Marlene Williams.



Time Is Getting Short

And if you haven't finished your Christmas Shopping—I suggest that you hurry to Chandler's in Pahokee. At this popular Store you are bound to find something for each and every member of the family. I wouldn't wait until the last minute if I were you—someone else might have the same idea. Suppose you go today.



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PERSONAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. F. Bridges of San Diego, Cal., is spending some time as the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. L. Keen and Mr. Keen in Canal Point.

Mrs. Alice Young, Independence, Mo., is spending some time with her brother, M. F. George and Mrs. George in Canal Point. She arrived Dec. 8 and will remain until April 1.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHANCERY NO. 21037
ALMA L. MCGURLEY,
Plaintiff,

-vs-
DANIEL S. MCGURLEY,
Defendant.

NOTICE TO APPEAR
TO DANIEL S. MCGURLEY, RESIDENCE P. O. BOX 413, BROOKHAVEN, GEORGIA.

You are hereby required to appear in the above Court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1946, the same being Rule Day of said month, at the Court House in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, to answer to the Bill of Complaint for Divorce filed against you in the above entitled cause and EVERGLADES NEWS, a newspaper regularly published in Palm Beach County, Florida, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Order shall be published once each week for four consecutive weekly issues.

DONE AND ORDERED at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 3rd day of December, A. D. 1945.

J. ALEX ARNETTE, Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Palm Beach County, Florida
(Circuit Court Seal)

By Thaddeus P. Plant
Deputy Clerk.

Thaddeus Whidden
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Pahokee, Florida.
Pub. Dec. 7, 14, 21, 28, A. D. 1945.

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CANAL POINT, FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Libhart and daughter, Sunny, and Mr. Libhart's sister, Mrs. Pauline Mayers, were visitors in Miami over the weekend.

Mrs. C. A. Moberg will return from a visit with friends in Miami this weekend.

Walter G. Hull was a business visitor in Orlando this week.

Pete Crisanti, buyer of Glades vegetables, received word that he is the father of a new son, born recently at a hospital in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Roscelle Wilson and son, Michael, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson in Clewiston the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burkett of Illinois are expected to arrive in Canal Point this weekend for a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rosenberg.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Heller of Canal Point and O. O. Gilbert of Pahokee attended a meeting of the Baptist Palm-Lake Association in Clewiston Tuesday night.

Miss Freda Kautz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kautz of Canal Point, and W. H. Webb, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb, Sr., of Pahokee were married in Washington, D. C., Nov. 24. He is in the Navy.

Classified Ads

TO PARTIES borrowing post hole diggers from me, please return.
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FOR SALE: 13 lots in Northmoor Subdivision, 75 ft. x 140 ft., restricted, in Belle Glade. \$750.00 terms. C. A. Bailey, Belle Glade, Florida. St. Dec. 14 ch.

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FOR SALE: Six room, three bedroom house on North Canal Point road. \$3,750.00. Dan Carpenter, Pahokee.

FOR SALE: 1936 Ford ton and a half, long wheel base truck. One 1938 Ford long wheelbase truck and one 1941 Chevrolet, long wheel base truck. Will sell all below ceiling price. Christian Chevrolet Company, Pahokee, Fla. Dec. 7 ch.

Dolores Williams Has Birthday Party

Mrs. H. T. Williams entertained at a party honoring her daughter, Dolores, on her eleventh birthday at their home on Canal Point Road Saturday afternoon. The Williams home was decorated with Christmas colors and flowers for the occasion. Patsy Elliott, Tinker Christian and Mary Eleanor Jerigan won prizes in games played. Refreshments were served by the hostess to approximately 20 guests.

Lions Entertain Squad & Coaches

Pahokee Lions at their Tuesday luncheon meeting had as guests Principal D. D. Caudill, Coach Alley, Assistant Coach Charles S. Brown and 28 members of the Pahokee High School football squad. Principal Caudill and the two coaches, in brief talks, thanked the Lions and the public in general for their support of the Blue Devil team during the past season which started off with a bang by

winning four straight games, almost folded up with the flu in the first part of November and then recovered its strength and fighting spirit to bring the season to a most highly satisfactory conclusion at Belle Glade last Friday night.

Mr. Brown, who is also city recreation director, reported that playground swings had been received and were being installed at the new city recreation park on Bacom Point Road. Malcolm Millar led in the group singing of songs.

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PAHOKEE, FLORIDA

EXCELLENT PICTURES

Florida Pictorial Service, operated in Pahokee by Bill and Jessica Bosworth, has a nice display of pictures in a window at Chandler's store. Take a peek at these pictures. You'll agree that the Bosworths do excellent work.

BOSE LEVINS BETTER

Bose Levins is reported to be improving after undergoing an operation for the removal of his appendix on Dec. 1. His condition has been rather serious but yesterday he was reported on the mend.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Our display of Christmas Merchandise isn't as large as we would like for it to be. However, we have gathered together quite a nice bunch of items which will make practical gifts. We want you to stop in and look around. We know you'll find something here for each and every member of the family.

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PAHOKEE, FLA.

Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

It was truly a pleasure to sit through "It's a Pleasure," and it is a pleasure to recommend it to you for your coming Sunday-Monday offering at the Prince Theatre. Sonja Henie and Michael O'Shea are the stars of the piece.

"It's a Pleasure" is a Kaleidoscopic movement of breathtaking beauty and artistry, with a tender love story skillfully woven into it, and moments of comedy that garner more than mere snickers.

Tuesday - Wednesday features two fine shows. First we'll take "Enter Arsene Lupin," which stars Ella Raines and George Korvin and unrolls a thrilling tale of clever detective work.

Next the colorful "Captain Kid", on the same bill, with Charles Laughton and Randolph Scott and a huge cast of recognized featured players, which brings an episode out of the life of this washbuckling adventurer that will keep you in suspense right from the beginning.

I believe all of you remember the short career of John Dillinger, when he terrorized the North-Eastern section of the United States a number of years back. Now for the first time comes "John Dillinger", his life's story, to the screen with Elisha Cook Jr., and Lawrence Tierney as its stars and a cast of specially chosen featured players, telling one of the most thrilling stories that has been seen in the cinema. "John Dillinger" is to be screened at the Prince Theatre Thursday-Friday.

On the same program comes Robert Stanton and Lynn Merrick presenting "Blonde from Brooklyn" which is one of the most entertaining comedy romances that you have had the pleasure of seeing for a time.

Saturday brings one of screen-dom's favorites, Roy Rogers, his horse, Trigger, and Mary Lee the young Western singing star. This is one of Roy's best musical Westerns and I'm sure you won't want to miss it.

See you at the movies—Mal.

Take A Good Look At That Check If You're Gonna Cash It

"Scan that check well before you cash it, Mr. Merchant." This warning was issued today by Pahokee Chief of Police Albert Gant in cautioning merchants to be alert for check forgers during the business rush preceding Christmas.

Chief Gant emphasized that with the millions of Government checks issued monthly to dependents of servicemen, "the temptation for forgers is great, and the opportunities for them are many."

"Be sure you know your endorser," the chief said. "Ask for adequate identification. An honest person with his own check will gladly let you know who he is."

A pedestrian, says the Titusville, Star-Advocate, is a man who has two cars, also a wife and a son old enough to drive.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHARNERY NO. 21945

ALBE SUMMERALL, Plaintiff,

vs. EVA SUMMERALL, Defendant.

NOTICE TO APPEAR

TO: EVA SUMMERALL, 41 1/2 SW CAPROL AVENUE, BATTLE CREEK, MICHIGAN

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to appear in the above Court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1946, same being Rule Day of said month, at the Court House in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, to answer to the Bill of Complaint for Divorce filed against you in the above entitled cause and THE EVERGLADES NEWS, a newspaper regularly published in Canal Point, Palm Beach County, Florida, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, to-wit:

DONE AND ORDERED in West Palm Beach, Florida, this 5th day of December, 1945.

J. Alex Arnette, Clerk of the Circuit Court.

(CIRCUIT COURT SEAL)

By Thadde P. Plant, Deputy Clerk.

Thadde Whidden, Attorney for Plaintiff, Pahokee, Florida.

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Life On The Campus

AT PAHOKEE HIGH SCHOOL

Last week the school spirit of Pahokee really came to life. No matter how a conversation started some one soon remarked: "Wonder how much we will beat them Friday night". And, though there were some doubts, the answer was usually optimistic.

Tuesday the blue and white streamers and posters appeared. Also, The Cup, beautifully polished to be taken down "to show" Belle Glade, was placed on exhibition.

Thursday the programs went on sale in the office, and Friday the sale of tickets began in order to avoid congestion at the gates.

At assembly Friday afternoon, the coaches and cheer leaders tried to put a little pep in the students, but apparently they were saving themselves for Friday night. After the game there was no need for encouragement, as Monday's assembly demonstrated. Mr. Caudill spoke briefly, and presented Coach Alley. There were cheers for him, Coach Brown, and the team. Members of the team each spoke modestly and happily of Friday's achievements. Wilton's playing was a final triumph, and he assured his fellow students that no future game would have the same meaning as Friday night's.

Last week the students missed Mrs. Colson in the library, welcoming her return now, and hope

that she will soon regain her strength.

The students regretted Miss Soltick's absence the latter part of the week and are glad she is now feeling much better.

Wednesday was that "red-letter day" that comes once every six weeks. Report cards were out, and no tears shed, but there were quite a few resolutions to do better next time.

Wilma Ross withdrew from the eighth grade and will enter a school in Texas.

Saturday, the Home Economics instructor, Mrs. Nason, attended a state conference in Jacksonville to help plan a program for "Better Farm Living in Florida."

With a number of former students visiting the school Monday, the campus began taking on an air of Servicemen's Week. Sam Scruggs, Jack Danson, Hugh Branch, Joe Crisanti, and Liebor Verhulst were visitors Monday—said their friends could be no happier to have them back than they were to be here.

The student body extends its deepest sympathy to Donald Harrington, another graduate of Pahokee in the service, in his recent bereavement.

At the P. T. A. meeting Monday evening, the attendance award was won by Mrs. Cunningham's Fourth grade and the Juniors.

Bible Class Enjoys Good Attendance

Despite the inclement weather of the past few days, the attendance of The Pahokee Men's Bible Class continues to maintain its splendid record, with 46 present last Sunday. The campaign of 75 average attendance is in the hands of the membership vice president, Elsworth Keen. Progress is being made.

Every Sunday for some two months, the class has had the joy of welcoming one or more new members, bringing the enrollment to 122, the goal being 200. One of

the features of the Sunday morning program is the singing of the class quartet, Messrs. Cowart, Wood, Butler, Spooner, with Ralph Grimes ready to step in when needed. Gary Sanders is the pianist. The genial and efficient president, Lawrence Jaudon, is one of the most faithful members, absent only in times of necessity.

The victory banquet of "feasting and quailing" will take place sometime in January. An orator of note will be contacted, and it is hoped can arrange to be present. A musical program, commensurate with the occasion, will be presented. This Sunday the teacher will present an interesting and

thought-provoking subject, "The Bible, the Book of Prophecy." A most cordial invitation is extended to all unaffiliated men of the community, service men and visitors. The class meets in the Lions' building at 9:45. Messrs. Elmer Jones and "Windy" Willis are the official greeters.

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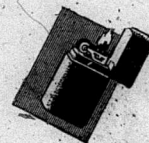
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RECENT OPERATIONS

By Paul Rardin

I walked into Orin Bacon's Pahokee Supply company store yesterday morning and he greeted me with this statement: "You can quote me as saying that I am of the opinion there will not be a white Christmas in Pahokee."

The population of Pahokee turns over mighty fast these days. I remember the day not long ago when I knew everybody in the City. Not so today. I walked into the Pick Wick Cafe Tuesday night for a cup of coffee. I looked around for some acquaintance and not a soul did I know out of the 19 folks who were eating supper. That proves something or other. In fact I'd never seen any of those folks before.

The ceiling price on beans will be raised today or tomorrow, according to a little information I received late Wednesday afternoon. The present price of \$3.25 on beans will be raised to \$4.60 through Dec. 31. A price of \$4.95 will prevail through Jan. 20. The information came through the State Marketing System and is authentic.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mock of Fort Myers were visitors in Pahokee and Canal Point on Tuesday of this week. From here they went to West Palm Beach for a short visit before returning to their Lee county home.

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B. W. Wood Resigns

The resignation of B. W. Wood from the Pahokee Police Force was accepted by the City Council Tuesday night with R. B. Mackey making the motion to accept the resignation and W. A. Keen seconding it. L. L. Shirley was the only other council member present. While serving on the local police force for the past 14 months Mr. Wood made a host of friends in Pahokee. Many consider him one of the most accommodating officers ever to serve on the local force, whose integrity cannot be questioned. They regret his leaving the force.

Smith—Justice

Miss Erma Jane Justice, SP x, WAIVE, and Lt. (jg) Doyle William Smith were married at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church, West Palm Beach, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 12. The vows at the double ring ceremony were read by Rev. T. A. Ferguson, pastor of the Pahokee Methodist Church. Both the bride and groom wore white uniforms and the bride carried a white prayer book with white satin streamers studded with tuberoses buds.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Heglund of West Palm Beach were attendants. Also witnessing the ceremony were the bride's mother, Mrs. B. B. Justice, Mrs. George Weaver, Mrs. B. Elliott and Mrs. T. A. Ferguson.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Justice of Pahokee, is a graduate of Pahokee High School and Bell Isles Commercial College, West Palm Beach. Before joining the Waves 18 months ago she was employed in the fingerprint department of the West Palm Beach Police Department. She is now stationed in Washington, D. C.

Lt. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Smith of Moorings Port, La., is a graduate of Louisiana State University where he majored in business administration. He has been in the service three and a half years and is now stationed at the Jacksonville Naval Base.

Following a wedding trip to Miami Lt. and Mrs. Smith will return to their respective stations until January when Mrs. Smith expects to receive a discharge from the Navy and will join her husband in Jacksonville.

Salvatore Is Named Vice Pres. School Board Members Ass'n

Carmen Salvatore, Pahokee member of the Palm Beach county board of public instruction, was elected vice president of the Florida School Board Members Association in annual meeting at the Roosevelt hotel in Jacksonville this week. This election puts Salvatore in line for presidency of the organization next year, it was pointed out at the convention.

The board members held their annual meeting in conjunction with the annual meeting of the County Superintendents association. Approximately 150 state school officials attended the joint gathering. G. C. Herndon of Tallahassee was named president of the school board member group.

To Choose Directors For Pahokee On RDB

Directors for three-year terms on the Resource Development Board are to be nominated by RDB members in Pahokee and Delray Beach. Ballots to the membership in each of these communities were placed in the mail by the headquarters office today. The ballot provides for a first and second choice. The names of the persons receiving the three highest votes in these communities will then be re-submitted to the membership for the selection of the

director of that community. The RDB urges its members to return their ballots immediately.

F. P. delkoya is the present director from Pahokee and is serving as chairman of the county-wide organization. He has enjoyed an unusually successful year as chairman and will, in all probability, be re-elected director from the Pahokee district. He has served on the RDB since its organization.

Mythical Team Is Chosen By IRC Group

Coaches of the Indian River conference met in Vero Beach Tuesday night and picked a mythical first and second team. The Glades did all right on the first

team—landing two berths. Joe Cherry of Belle Glade was chosen as a back on the first team and J. E. Spooner of Pahokee was chosen as a guard.

On the second team three assignments went to Belle Glade and one to Pahokee. Wedgworth was chosen as an end, Lloyd as a tackle and Pike as a guard while Hatfield of Pahokee was named center.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wierman and children, Tiona and Bobby, of Bloomington, Calif., are guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott. Mrs. Wierman's mother, Mrs. Emma Wheeler, accompanied them here from Lakeland.

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Vegetable Group Makes Plans To Please Most Discriminating of Post-War Era

Lifting Florida's winter vegetable industry to the production and shipment of such varieties as cannot fail to meet the discriminating post-war requirements of midland in the northern markets, is the objective of a program being projected by the Florida Vegetable Committee.

LaMonte Graw, committee manager, outlined the factors which the end of the war emergency have precipitated on the industry and which necessitate a drastic about-face from the speed-up tempo of the wartime demand. Supply and demand, he said, are still the chief factors in the marketing of fresh vegetables, and growers and shippers should realistically consider this fact when planning, harvesting and shipping their commodities to market.

"Too many growers and shippers seem to believe that wartime demand still exists," Graw said. "They are shipping vegetables which are not of the highest quality. This was often necessary during the war period, when the nation was in need of fresh foodstuffs, but cannot be justified in the face of a decrease in both demand and price since the reduction in national income by termination of wartime employment."

Before the war great strides had been made in the direction of quality improvement, both in the product and its handling, Graw explained. Wartime demand and OPA pricing regulations have wiped out the results of years of educational work.

The public has become more conscious of the quality factor of fresh foodstuffs, he continued, and

will be more critical in the future, with a readiness to turn to frozen and canned products when fresh vegetables are not of a quality and price that meet the housewife's needs.

"The Florida Vegetable Committee," Graw stated, "is continuing its work on the development of merchandising plans which will permit a wider distribution of Florida products, and a better consumer acceptance. We hope before long to be able to inaugurate a series of packaging experiments along practical lines, but this work will have little value if growers and shippers fail to confine their shipments to products of highest quality, particularly during periods of heavy supply."

"It is the Committee's hope that it can evolve a program which will stabilize the marketing of Florida vegetables. Such a program must have the full cooperation of all producers and shippers to succeed."

Graw indicated that the deterioration in quality was not a deliberate one, but was the result of wartime conditions, poor labor and equipment, and a lack of genuine cooperation between producers, distributors and retailers.

Until each handler of fresh foodstuffs from the farm to the consumer works toward the common goal, he said, the producer will be handicapped, as premium quality vegetables often reach the consumer in bad shape due to improper handling en route.

The average incandescent lamp in the home burns for two and a half years.

Rotary Clubs Will Meet Jointly Jan. 31

A joint meeting of the Pahokee and Belle Glade Rotary clubs will be held on Thursday night, January 31, it has been announced by officials of the two clubs. The meeting is being held at night at the request of the district governor who will be present for his annual visit. John Dulany, Dennis Caudill and Paul Rardin compose a committee from the Pahokee club to work with the Belle Glade club on arrangements.

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John Howard, of Atlanta, a former prisoner of the Japs along with John Padgett of Pahokee, is a guest of Mr. Padgett this week. While Mr. Howard is here the boys will visit West Palm Beach and Miami.

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